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SUBJECT: STRIKES SPREAD IN TEXTILE INDUSTRY

THE NICARO, HILA NICA AND VENUS TEXTILE FACTORIES WHICH COLLECTIVELY EMPLOY APPROXIMATELY 700 WORKERS WERE STRUCK MORNING AUGUST 10. THE WORKERS ARE DEMANDING WAGE INCREASES AND BETTER WORKING CONDITIONS AND SUPPORTING THE FABRITEX TEXTILE WORKERS STRIKE. MANAGEMENT AT THE PROSAN AND NOMAR TEXTILE FACTORIES AVOIDED STRIKES BY AGREEING TO NEGOTIATE NEW COLLECTIVE BARGAINING CONTRACTS WITH THEIR CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC (CTN) AFFILIATED UNIONS. SMALL CONTINGENTS OF NATIONAL GUARD TROOPS, POSTED AT THE STRUCK TEXTILE FACTORIES, REPORTEDLY DISPERSED A LARGE GROUP OF ASSEMBLED STRIKERS AT THE NICARA PLANT AND ARRESTED SEVERAL "AGITATORS" AT FABRITEX.

ACCORDING TO MANAGEMENT, AS OF MORNING AUGUST 14, 90 PERCENT OF NICARO'S 400 EMPLOYEES, 30 PERCENT OF HILA NICA'S 65 AND 60 PERCENT OF VENUS' 200 ARE BACK AT WORK.

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